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PRESIDENT AGAIN URGES SCIENCE HALL

Declares In Annual Report,
Need Is As Great As For
Law School

LIBRARY GREATLY ENLARGED

Summer School to Continue—Dean
Borden Wants Fixed Standard

In the President's report, just released, besides the brief mention of events of the year, he again urges the need of a Science Hall which he claims to be of equal importance to the new Law School building for which a subscription fund is being carried on.

"The Trustees have authorized a movement to raise funds to purchase a site and erect a building properly constructed and arranged for the purpose of a modern Law School with its well equipped library," he said. "This should be dignified in its character and architecture, fire proof and of a size sufficient to meet fully the wants of the School. There are funds now in possession of the Treasury, given or acquired upon conditions which allow their use for the purpose just indicated. These available funds amount at present in cash and securities to \$21,242.73. Additional cash and pledges are on hand amounting to \$10,960.00. It is hoped that additional subscriptions and efforts will be made by friends of the University to raise the minimum sum of \$100,000 to purchase a site and erect the Law School building desired.

Need For Science Hall

"The need for a Science Hall, fire proof in construction is at least equally great. The chemistry laboratories of the Department of Arts and Sciences are so overcrowded that we have been obliged to withdraw students from certain laboratories." (Continued on page 2)

CLASS PRESIDENTS MUST SEE

DEAN WILLIAM A. WILBUR
The presidents of all classes of all departments of the University are to see Dean Wilbur, of Columbian College, by February 1, in order to arrange for the procession to be held before the midyear sermon on Sunday, February 1. President Stockton has made this official announcement.

GIRLS HAVE CARD INDEX OF ALL THEIR ROOTERS

The girls will hold regular cheering practice for the basketball games each Wednesday after chapel in the A. & S. Assembly Hall. A card index of all the girls in the University who are tax signers has been made, and thru it, the girls are being canvassed in order to learn what their sentiments are toward cheering.

The girls who will attend and cheer at the Catholic University game tomorrow night are invited to a supper to be held just after the last late afternoon class in the Sigma Kappa Room. Each girl will be taxed ten cents.

TRUSTEES APPROVE CHANGES

The Board of Trustees at its meeting last Wednesday, approved the resolution of the faculty of the A. & S. Department establishing a degree of B. S. in chemical engineering. The Board also approved the recommendation by the Faculty Committee that the A. & S. Library be kept open from 6:40 to 10:30 o'clock p.m., on all regular school days except Saturdays.

Israel Shapiro, Ph. D., was appointed professor of Literature.

G. W. PROFESSORS GET OFFICES IN SCIENTIFIC ASSOCIATION

At the New York meeting of the American Association of Science and its affiliated societies during the Christmas holidays, Dr. W. J. Humphreys, professor of Meteorological Physics, was elected vice-president of the Association and chairman of the section on physics, and Dr. R. S. Bassler, professor of Geology, was elected treasurer of the American Society of Palaeontologists.

Girls' Basketball Schedule

Jan. 20.—Holton Arms, at home.
Feb. 3.—Gallaudet, at home.
Feb. 9.—Swarthmore, at Swarthmore.
Feb. 10.—Temple Uni., at Phila.
Feb. 24.—Eastern H. S. Alumnae of Balto., at home.
Mar. 3.—Madeira, at home.
Mar. 10.—Eastern H. S. Alumnae, at Baltimore.
Mar. 17.—Temple Uni., at home.
Mar. 24.—Gallaudet, at home.

YEAR'S BIGGEST SOCIAL EVENT

The committee of Freshman Class presidents wishes all the students in the University to remember the date of the Freshman Prom, February 9, this year's biggest social event. The function will be held in the Raleigh Ball Room. Tickets are two dollars, and may be procured from any freshman class president. The Myer Davis orchestra will furnish the music.

ENGINEERING SOCIETY HEARS PROF. CRANDELL

Lecture on Highway Construction
Appreciated—Held At Bureau of Standards

The Engineering Society met last Monday night at the Bureau of Standards, to hear a lecture by Prof. Crandell, paving expert of the Barrett Company, on "The Construction and Maintenance of Roads with Refined Tar."

Before introducing the speaker, Wm. S. James, the presiding officer and president of the Engineering Society, made two important announcements for engineers. First, the group picture of the Society for the Cherry Tree will be taken at the studio of Harris and Ewing next Sunday at 9:45 a. m. Second, the date of the annual banquet of the Society has been set for Tuesday, Feb. 20.

Prof. Crandell spoke at first of the securing of the tar from coal and its preparation before it is ready for use. In this connection it is very interesting to note that in the distillation process as the temperature is increased such substances are given off as anthracene, naphthalene, creosols, phenol, and benzol, substances very much in demand at present owing to the European war.

Then he described in detail the different processes in road building, emphasizing the details which should be particularly watched as the cleanliness of the materials and the temperature of the season.

During the talk stereopticon slides were flashed upon the screen and at the conclusion moving pictures summarized the entire process.

Some time was then spent by Prof. Crandell in answering all questions which the engineers asked him in regard to his lecture.

Refreshments were served at the end of the discussion.

THERMOMETERS USED IN LAW BUILDING CAMPAIGN

Large Poster Shows Contributions by
Classes—Much Interest Aroused

That different temperatures can be had with the same kind of thermometer and in the same spot is what the observer witnessed by the four graphic thermometers on the Law School bulletin board whose "Mercury" columns show on the dollar scale amounts contributed by the three classes, to the Law School Building Fund. The fourth gives the grand total with \$100,000 as the "boiling point." This competition method of raising the funds is expected to bring results.

"The students in the Law School are being solicited on behalf of the Law School Building Fund," said Professor Wm. C. Van Vleck. "A committee has been organized in each class and the Law School Association sent a letter to each student."

TOSSERS LOSE TO TEMPLE TEAM BY 40-27 SCORE

Play C. U. Tomorrow night at the
"Y"—Team has won and lost
Same Number of Games

The G. W. quint met its second defeat of the season by a 10 to 27 score when it met the Temple team, at Philadelphia, last Monday. By losing this game the Hatchettes' record stands two victories and two defeats. The team plays Catholic University tomorrow at the "Y" and the management expects the team to come out on top. It is interesting to note that the two victories were made on the "Y" floor.

Cheer Leader Ramsey wants a large crowd out to root for the team and make it three wins.

The Temple team got an early lead over the G. W. five which they were unable to overcome.

Giacomo starred for G. W., while Gesselman and Smith excelled for the opponents.

For the C. U. game tomorrow night Herbert Ramsey will lead in the cheers, J. M. Tabler will keep time, Curley Byrd will keep score and J. Lenowitz will be at the scoreboard. Admission to the game, for those who do not hold athletic tickets, is 50 cents.

The students who have not yet obtained their athletic tickets may obtain them at the window before the game. Summary:

G. W. (27)	Position	Temple (40)
Alphon	F	Weiler
Giacomo	F	Neff
Patterson	C	Gesselman
Hillis	G	Smith
Groesbeck	G	Scarry

Field goals: Alphon 2; Giacomo, 9; Groesbeck, Weiler, 2; Neff, 3; Gesselman, 6. Foul Goals: Alphon, 3 out of 6; Weiler, 8 out of 9. Referee, Mr. Saxe, University of Pennsylvania. Time of halves, 20 minutes.

EXAM. SCHEDULE A. & S. DEPARTMENT

Examinations will be two hours in length. All examinations will begin and end promptly at the hours scheduled. Examinations not here scheduled must be arranged for with the instructor. One-hour courses and third group courses are generally not scheduled. All regulations will be suspended during the examination period.

Monday, January 29.

10 to 12—	Economics 1.....Prof. Kern
	Education 20.....Prof. Ruediger
	German 3.....Prof. Schoenfeld
5 to 7—	Applied Mathematics 21.....Mr. Doten
	Architecture 22.....Prof. Harris
	Chemistry 23.....Prof. Munroe
	Economics 38.....Dr. Rutter
	Electrical Engin. 6.....Asst. Prof. Mortimer
	English 2.....Asst. Prof. Woodward
	French 7.....Mr. Mallet
	Geology 1.....Prof. Bassler
	History 25.....Asst. Prof. Churchill
	Mathematics 4.....Mr. Hodgkins
	Mechanical Engineering 20.....Mr. Halsey
	Philosophy 2.....Prof. Ruediger
	Physics 1.....Asst. Prof. Mott-Smith
	Political Science 29.....Asst. Prof. Hill
	Naval Architecture.....Mr. Johnson
	Spanish 2.....Mr. Doyle
	Zoology 1 and 3.....Prof. Bartsch

Tuesday, January 30.

10 to 12—

Archaeology 20.....Prof. Carroll	
English 20.....Prof. Croissant	
French 3.....Prof. Henning	
History 3.....Prof. Swisher	
Latin 1.....Prof. Smith	
1:30 to 3:30—	Graphics 8 A.....Mr. Halsey
Latin 20.....Prof. Smith	
5 to 7—	Architecture 20.....Prof. Bibb
	Chemistry 24.....Prof. Munroe
	Civil Engineering 1.....Asst. Prof. Lapham
	Civil Engineering 24.....Mr. Doten
	Economics 33.....Asst. Prof. Alden
	Economics 27.....Prof. Kern
	Electrical Eng. 2.....Asst. Prof. Mortimer
	French 2B.....Mr. Doyle
	French 6.....Prof. Henning
	German 6.....Prof. Schmidt
	Graphics 8.....Asst. Prof. Lapham
	History 5.....Prof. Swisher
	Mathematics 12 B.....Prof. Hodgkins
	Portuguese 1.....Prof. Coutinho

Wednesday, January 31.

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CHOICE CUT FLOWERS

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Complete Basketball Schedule Games to Be Played

Jan. 13.—Cath. Uni., at home.
Jan. 20.—Georgetown, at home.
Jan. 27.—Davis & Elkins, at home.
Feb. 3.—Gallaudet, at Kendall Gr.
Feb. 7.—Georgetown, at G'town.
Feb. 12.—Cath. Uni., at C. U.
Feb. 15.—Temple Uni., at home.
Feb. 28.—Lehigh, at So. Bethlehem.
Mar. 1.—Penn. Military College, at Chester.
Mar. 2.—Brooklyn Poly., at Brooklyn.

1917 ELEVEN TO PLAY URSINUS

Mr. Hodgkins has announced an additional game for the 1917 eleven. It is with the Ursinus College which last year's team tied. There are three dates now open, Manager Hodgkins states which are October 20 and 27 and November 1. Two of these dates are expected to be closed by the next edition.

ARTILLERY COMPANY TO DRILL SUNDAY

To Pose For Cherry Tree Picture
in Dress Uniform—Men To Take
Exams.

The G. W. Coast Artillery Company will meet at the Armory Sunday morning, at nine o'clock, for an infantry drill and to pose for their picture to appear in the Cherry Tree. The men will have their pictures taken in dress uniform. This will be the first Sunday drill the Company has taken at the Armory since its organization.

Already the Company has held more drills than are required by the War Department. The men have been put thru 72 drills while only 44 are required. This is the only militia company which has reached that number.

The examinations for first class gunners will be held about the first week in February, and the examinations for rated positions about two weeks after.

Thompson Pleased With Company

Capt. Albert C. Thompson, in giving his opinion of the Company, said: "The progress of the Company has been excellent. The school for instruction in preparation for the first class gunners' examinations is making great headway and the prospect at present is that practically the whole Company will qualify as first class gunners. In addition to that, 13 men have taken advance courses for the officership examinations. The organization is first class all around and deserves well of the government."

Arrangements are being made for a special smoker early in February and invitations will be extended to students, Plattsburgers and others interested in military work.

"Recruiting will be pushed right thru the mid-year examinations," says Lieutenant Hodgkins. "There are now less than 65 men in the Company (the minimum). If another company should be formed no man in the present organization could accept a rank in that company as was expected, because it would bring the G. W. Company below the minimum. I earnestly request those students who signed up for the military course to join the G. W. Artillery Company."

GIRLS PLAY Y. W. C. A. TONIGHT

The Girls' Basketball team will meet the Y. W. C. A. five in a practice game tonight at the Epiphany gym. Admission is free.

CHEMICAL SOCIETY MEETS

The Chemical Society met Wednesday, January 10, in Hall 2, of the Medical School, and heard a paper read by J. P. Diesman on "Tanning."

QUESTIONS SETTLED AT JOINT MEETING

Faculty Committee And Student
Council Want A Greater
G. W.

COUNCIL NOMINATES SENIOR MARSHALS

Leslie W. Teller Resigns—Council's
Power Made Clear—Joint Meeting
Lasts Three Hours

At the joint meeting of the Faculty Committee on Student Activities and the Student Council, last Tuesday night in the Law School, the relation of the Council to the Committee and the general athletic situation were threshed out. Both the Committee and Council met separately at 8 o'clock and completed their regular business before meeting together. Both bodies got together shortly before nine o'clock and the discussion lasted for three hours, after which time both faculty members and students felt that common ground had been reached.

The first question brought up by the Council was the matter of eligibility rules. There seemed to be some misunderstanding as to who should compose them.

Dean Fraser explained that the Faculty Committee may refer the matter to the Council but final action on such matters rested with the President's Council.

Discussion of Athletic Board
Councilman Groesbeck, who is chairman of the Council athletic committee, at this point brought their attention the proposed athletic board which has been discussed in these columns before.

Graduate Manager Hodgkins objected to such a board as it is now proposed.

"I think the matter should be left in one person's hands, as there are a number of details which have to be looked after and which would be" (Continued on page 3)

T. C. GARNER WINS HIGHEST STUDENT HONOR

It has just been made public that the Pyramid Honor Society has initiated Tully Charles Garner, a Senior of Columbian College, into the order. This ceremony took place at the regular winter initiation of the organization recently held.

It is the custom of the Pyramid Society to elect to its membership those who have distinguished themselves in the line of student activities. As a rule, the Honor Society holds two elections annually, one in the winter when seniors are considered and one in the spring when both juniors and seniors may be eligible.

Mr. Garner is a candidate for an A. B. degree at the next commencement, having entered Columbian College in the fall of 1913. The Society states that altho always interested and active in the promotion of student affairs, his efforts have come especially into public notice during the present year. During the time that he was active as manager of the football team, his efficient service and untiring endeavor to make the first year of the resumption of major sports a success have been everywhere noticed and the subject of general comment.

HALSEY ELECTED A MEMBER OF SCHOOLMAN'S CLUB

William D. Halsey, instructor in mechanical engineering, has been elected a member of the Federal Schoolman's Club. Dean Ruediger, of Teachers College, is president of this Club.

ARMY DATE TO BE FIXED SOON

Manager George A. Daidy, of the basketball team, when asked whether he abandoned hope of playing West Point, said he expected to settle on a date, shortly, for the end of the season.

"If it happens that a date cannot be decided upon," Manager Daidy said, "I will raise no objections which might spoil our chances to meet them next year."

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 12, 1917.

Greater G. W.

The greater part of the discussion
at the joint meeting of the Student
Council and Faculty Committee was
devoted to a greater George Wash-
ington. A larger enrollment, a larg-
er day school, stronger athletics, and
a University with a name that will
compete with the larger institutions,
were the principal topics.

Special commendation was given to
the plan for a High School Edition
of the Hatchet to be distributed
among the seniors of the high schools
from which we might possibly draw
students. The Committeemen were
especially pleased with the sugges-
tions of the Council for methods by
which this "greater" movement could
be accomplished.

This joint meeting undoubtedly
marks the beginning of a campaign
to get behind G. W. and push. The
faculty now understand the students
and the students understand the fac-
ulty, so more co-operation is sure to
be had and G. W. is sure to profit.

The Council is to be congratulated
on its fight, since its organization,
for a George Washington University
which everyone will know and ad-
mire. The Council wants all negotia-
tions above board so the public will
see that the University has a clean
slate. The Council is not in favor
of these "greater" movements being
done in an underhand manner. It
favors open and clean methods.

Objections

It seems to be a custom among
the students to petition the faculty
when they believe, or think, they are
not getting their rights. In the first
place, this is the wrong method of
procedure and second, the student-
body has a Council where objections
are supposed to be threshed out.

There have been objections to the
amount of space given the profes-
sional fraternities in the Cherry Tree,
for instance. Petitions were sent to
the Faculty Committee to the effect
that they were not getting a square
deal. Such a petition should be sent
to the Student Council which has
proved itself capable of handling such
matters.

Petitioning should be used only as
a last resort. The offended parties
should have a committee consult the
management of the activity to which
objections are raised and if satisfac-
tion cannot be had then, the next
step is to take the complaint to the
Council.

Activities are requested to submit
their news for publication in the
Hatchet before Tuesday at 6:40
o'clock, of each week. There has
been a tendency in the past three
weeks to wait until Wednesday morn-
ing or Wednesday noon. By leav-
ing items so late there is a chance
of their not appearing at all and if
they do appear, they do not receive
the amount of space they would have
received had they been submitted soon-
er.

Percy Rides To School

Dear Joe:—

I rode to College the other day—
you know I can afford to now, for a
few times anyway, on the five dol-
lar gold piece I got for Christmas. I
did not know where to get off at first,
but when I saw one group of girls
playing ukeleles and the Fox Trot
being "executed" by another group,
I knew that was my stop. Joe, you
should be here. Why, you would
not need to go to the Ilseworth. As
you approach the main building,
spooning couples stroll up and down
talking about "tonight's dance" and
how they wished the next class were
over. On the steps you must stop until
the men and women terminate their
wrestling matches. Why, Joe, you
really do not know how active this
University is. When you get inside
the door you must wade thru con-
fidential groups of men and women
who despise you for breaking up their
conversations. On the radiator the
college belle will be seen draped and
in the center of the hall her nearest
competitor will be "skinning the cat"
on the electric light before an ad-
miring group of men. We have a
very small group of girls here but—
believe your friend Percy, they are
there morning, noon and night. It
is quite easy to take classes here
for the beautiful strains of a Co-ed's
voice singing "Mammy's Coal Black
Rose" from the pavements below
makes you believe they made G street
twice as nice as Paradise and called
it G. W. U. PERCY.

An Echo

By WILLIAM GILLIGAN.

"Cause it's lady-like and proper
For the least coquettish creature
To call a man's attention
To her most bewitching feature."
—The Beauty Spot

On Christmas night a year ago
I had a date with Molly
To take her to the Passing Show,
Or some such tenebrous folly,
I never saw her look so sweet;
Her hair, her eyes, her figure neat
Were bane to Melancholy.

But at the corner of her eye
I saw an ebon dot,
And so I asked her bluntly why
She wore that beauty spot.
I had no purpose of offense,
I meant it in a different sense,
But she got mighty hot.

She flew right up into a rage,
She told me then and there
That she was of sufficient age
To say what she would wear—
Absolutely wouldn't go—
Didn't want to see the show—
Wondered that I'd dare—

I told her then just what I thought—
Her wrath was out of place;
I'd find no fault with such a dot
On someone else's face
With features thin
Or double chin
And less bewitching grace.

"And if you'd follow out," said I
"To logical conclusion,
The reason for your dotted eye,
'Twould surely cause confusion—
Each cherry lip, each cheek of rose,
Each eye, your chin, and e'en your
nose
Would bear them in profusion."

Her frown was gone; I saw her smile—
She stepped beneath the mistletoe;
Her lips—I could not quite resist,
And for the rest—oh, well, you
know—
Any way, I want to say
That Molly let me have my way,
And we enjoyed the show.

RUEDIGER TO MAKE TOUR

Dean William Carl Ruediger will
make a School Survey in Elyria, Ohio,
which will start January 20 and last
for three weeks.

ART COURSE FOR SUMMER SCHOOL

Dean Ruediger announces that Miss
Gertrude R. Brigham will give a
course in art besides English com-
position, in the next Summer School.

CHEMISTRY COURSE NOW IN ENGINEERING COL.

At the meeting of the Faculty of
the A. & S. Department January 4,
it was decided to establish a course
in chemical engineering. It was also
resolved to transfer the B. S. in chem-
istry course to the Engineering Col-
lege.

COLUMBIAN DEBATES TONIGHT

Last Friday night the affirmative
side won in the debate on "Resolved,
That the Government should own and
operate all railroads employed in in-
terstate commerce." J. E. Al-
verson won first honors, and D. H.
Cannon second honors.

Tonight the subject is, "Resolved,
That capital punishment should be
abolished." The meeting begins at
8:15 o'clock.

DR. T. H. BEAN, SCIENTIST AND G. W. ALUMNUS, DEAD

Dr. Tarleton Hoffman Bean, world-
known scientist and New York state
fish culturist since 1906, whose death
was announced recently, received his
M. S. degree from this University
in 1876.

Dr. Bean was the bearer of the
Royal Imperial Order of the Red
Eagle conferred by Emperor William
for personal scientific services. He
also had two decorations from the
French government and was one of
the few who bore the Order of the
Rising Sun, conferred by the Jap-
anese government.

In addition to these Dr. Bean held
a number of important offices under
this Government.

G. W. FIRST TO RECOGNIZE SIMON NEWCOMB'S ABILITY

Science, for December 22, devotes
some seven pages to the enumeration
of the scientific and scholastic honors
conferred by various institutions and
governments thruout the world on Si-
mon Newcomb in which it appears
that the G. W. University was the
first to recognize his great ability
and attainments by appointing him a
lecturer in the University, 1873-1884,
Professor of Astronomy 1884-1886 and
conferring on him the degree of LL.
D. in 1874, this same degree being
later conferred on him by Yale, Har-
vard, Columbia, Edinburgh, Glasgow,
Princeton, Cracow, Johns Hopkins,
Toronto, and Aberdeen while other
honorary degrees were conferred on
him by other institutions.

G. W. GIVES 24 SCHOLARSHIPS

Dean H. L. Hodgkins, at a meet-
ing of the faculty of the Arts and
Sciences Department, reported that 24
scholarships were awarded by the
University to graduates of the Wash-
ington high schools. The award
amounts to \$3,600. In addition to
this still the faculty approved awards
of scholarships and aid amounting to
\$3,119.37.

"It is probable," said Secretary
Cobb, "that this award will be fur-
ther increased before the end of the
current year."

PRESIDENT AGAIN URGES SCIENCE HALL

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tory instruction. A Science Hall,
properly endowed, should be placed
near the other buildings of Arts and
Sciences and should combine other
laboratories now scattered in build-
ings not fire-proof or built for such
purposes.

Tuition Used for Salaries

"The income received from the tu-
ition fees of the students and its mod-
est endowments is used almost en-
tirely for salaries, wages and general
up-keep of the University and its
equipment. When new buildings are
wanted special appeals have to be
made to the community for whose
advantage the University exists. It
is hoped that the communal spirit
of Washington, somewhat dormant at
present, can be aroused to an extent
to enable the University to expand
properly with the growth of its en-
rollment and the increasing needs of
the institution."

The President commends the work
of the Summer School and wants it
"continued from year to year, devel-
oping its scope and resources." The
total enrollment of the School was
266 students.

Fluctuation in Medical Classes

Dean Borden in his report to the
President says that the fluctuation in
the sizes of classes due to change
of entrance requirements, makes the
conduct of the Medical School diffi-
cult.

"Difficulty is also encountered," he
says, "thru the constant change of
requirements for equipment and
teaching demanded by the Council on
Education of the American Medical
Association. It is unfortunate that
a permanent basis for admission and
teaching has not yet been reached
so that the Medical School can be
normally conducted according to some
fairly fixed standard. The steady in-
crease in matriculants under exist-
ing requirements indicates that an ad-
equate student body can be obtained
if a standard entrance requirement
can be established and continued but
so long as the entrance requirements
are being changed, the fluctuation in
total numbers and decrease of matric-
ulants with each increase of require-
ments, is bound to occur."

Library Greatly Enlarged

The library of the A. & S. Depart-
ment has been greatly enlarged, says
the report. It has received 1222 ad-
ditional volumes. Of these 551 came
by purchase, 601 by gift and exchange
and 70 by binding. The total num-
ber of books in all the University li-
braries is 51,663.

An interesting table appeared in the
Graduate School report which shows
that English, history, education, and
sociology are the most generally ap-
pearing topics for women in gradu-
ate work and from that comes the
drop to the sciences.

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QUESTIONS SETTLED AT JOINT MEETING

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delayed before such a board could meet," he said. "I agree that such an organization would be valuable in selecting student assistants and urging men to come out."

Chairman Norris reminded Mr. Hodgkins that the proposed board gave the graduate manager, or director, the power of veto and also expressed his belief that such a board could assist in arranging a schedule.

Students Should Arrange Schedule
"Altho I believe nine men on such a board an unwieldy number, and as Mr. Hodgkins said, difficult to get together, I do believe," said Groesbeck, "that, whatever number finally is agreed upon, the students should have the power to award letters, arrange a schedule and not act as mere figureheads."

Dean Fraser expressed his opinion that the matter should be taken out of the Council and placed in a centralized board. He explained that such a board could accomplish more than men connected with the Council in that the Council is doing good in other channels and this added work would hamper it.

At this turn in the discussion, the Council raised the question as to what the Council's powers were in relation to the Faculty Committee.

Councils Power Unlimited
"The two bodies should work together," answered Dean Fraser. "The Council and Committee would have a better understanding of each other if your secretary would submit a copy of the minutes of each meeting to the Chairman of the Faculty Committee. In fact, the whole question would resolve to the statement that the Council's powers are unlimited until something objectionable is being done which would then call for interference by the Committee."

Chairman Norris then explained that there existed no clear understanding between the students and Faculty.

"When the students suggest something which they believe beneficial to the University," said Norris, "the faculty members are backward about offering assistance. The Council wishes to see the day school developed and wishes to propose a few schemes by which students can be drawn to the University. The first scheme is by a special edition of the Hatchet which shall be distributed to seniors of the Washington High Schools. Another method would be to give an entertainment."

Dean Ruediger was pleased with the proposal, but believed the University should take charge of such a scheme as an entertainment.

Council Commended

Dean Fraser commended the Council on the well-worked-out plans it submitted to enlarge the University, and expressed his belief that the Council's first year was more encouraging and was doing more good than he expected. He said that the special edition of the Hatchet was an excellent idea and should be financed by the University.

The good and bad points of football were brought up and after much discussion it was unanimously agreed upon by both bodies that football is a benefit to the University.

"Very few on the faculty doubt it," said Dean Fraser. "I am convinced of its help."

Before the Faculty left the benefit of the meeting can be summed up in Dean Ruediger's words:

"I sure did learn a lot and am convinced the Committee better understands the students and visa versa."

Marshals Nominated

The business taken up by the Council alone was the nomination of Marshals. The Council nominated 12. They are: P. M. Johnson, W. S. James, Bertram Groesbeck, John Bixler, Miss Theodosia Seibold, T. C. Garner, Jerry Frost, E. D. Haines, Elmer Kayser, Normand Raymond, D. H. Cannon and W. T. Gill.

The feature of these nominations is that there will be one woman on the ballot, which is another departure from previous customs.

Students are requested to submit additional names to the Hatchet or criticisms regarding those now appearing. At the next meeting of the Council, Tuesday night, the nominees will be cut down to six and a method of election will be worked out by the election committee composed of Elmer Kayser, chairman, W. S. Hance and Miss M. McGrew.

Teller Resigns

Leslie W. Teller resigned from the Council on account of insufficient time to devote to the work. This leaves the Engineering College without a representative.

The matter of getting out the athletic programs was referred to the publications committee. Mr. Shapiro stated that it would be impossible to get the basketball program out on time.

The active and ex-officio members of the Council will report at Harris & Ewings', Sunday, at half past nine, for the Cherry Tree picture.

University Calendar

Basketball team plays C. U. tomorrow night, at half past eight at the "Y."

Girls' Basketball team plays Y. W. C. A. tonight, at the Epiphany gym. Student Council meets, Tuesday night, at the Law School.

Date for Engineering Society banquet has been set for February 20.

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LAW SCHOOL ANNOUNCES MID-YEAR EXAMINATIONS

The schedule this year contains only examinations in those subjects which are completed at this time.

Saturday, Jan. 27: Equity II, Main Hall, 7:30-10:30 p. m. Patent Law Practice, South Hall, 7:30-10:30 p. m.

Monday, Jan. 29: Wills & Administration, South Hall, 7:30-9:30 p. m. Legal Tactics, South Moot Court, 7:30-9:30 p. m.

Tuesday, Jan. 30: Personal Property, Main Hall, 7:30-10:30 p. m. Evidence, North Hall, 7:30-10:30 p. m. Real Property III, South Hall, 7:30-10:30 p. m. Substantive Patent Law, South Moot Court, 7:30-10:30 p. m.

Wednesday, Jan. 31: Federal Procedure, South Hall, 7:30-9:30 p. m. Thursday, Feb. 1: Principles of Legal Liability, Main Hall, 7:30-10:30 p. m. Agency, North Hall, 7:30-10:30 p. m. Public service Companies, South Hall, 7:30-10:30 p. m.

Friday, Feb. 2: Municipal Corporations, South Hall, 7:30-10:30 p. m. Saturday, Feb. 3: Common Law Actions, Main Hall, 7:30-10:30 p. m. Partnership, North Hall, 7:30-10:30 p. m.

Examinations in all other topics will, as stated on page 194 of the catalog, be held at the close of the Academic Year.

Students who have any difficulties with the above schedule or who need examinations in other topics should see the Secretary at once.

EXAM. SCHEDULE A. & S. DEPARTMENT (Continued from page 1)

Economics 43.....Prof. Kern
English 23.....Prof. Wilbur
Mathematics 3.....Prof. Hodgkins
1:30 to 3:30
French 3.....Prof. Henning
German 20.....Prof. Schoenfeld
Mathematics 9.....Prof. Hodgkins
Philosophy 1.....Prof. Ruediger
Spanish 3.....Mr. Doyle

5 to 7
Architecture 21.....Prof. Harris
Civil Engineering 1.....Asst. Prof. Lapham
Civil Engineering 23.....Prof. Dunstan
Economics 2.....Prof. Kern
Economics 36.....Dr. Rutter
Education 30.....Miss Stoddard
English 28.....Prof. Croissant
French 2 A.....Mr. Doyle
Geology 2.....Prof. Bassler
German 4.....Prof. Schmidt
Mathematics 6.....Mr. Hodgkins
Mathematics 12 A.....Prof. Hodgkins
Mechanical Engineering 1.....Mr. Halsey
Philosophy 20.....Dr. Ruediger
Physics 21.....Asst. Prof. Mott-Smith
Zoology 2.....Prof. Bartsch
Thursday, February 1

10 to 12
English 31.....Prof. Croissant
German 5.....Prof. Schoenfeld
Physics 3.....Asst. Prof. Mott-Smith
Spanish 1.....Mr. John
1:30 to 3:30
English 20.....Asst. Prof. Cobb
Latin 22.....Prof. Smith
5 to 7
Applied Mathematics 20.....Prof. Dunstan
Architecture 8.....Prof. Bibb
Botany 1.....Mr. Harrington
Civil Engineering 20.....Asst. Prof. Lapham
Chemistry 1.....Prof. Munroe
Economics 22.....Prof. Kern
Education 25.....Dr. Small
Education 33.....Mr. Call
Electrical Eng. 21.....Asst. Prof. Mortimer
English 5.....Prof. Croissant
French 4.....Prof. Henning
German 2.....Prof. Schmidt
German 8.....Prof. Schoenfeld
History 30.....Prof. Swisher
Mathematics 20.....Prof. Hodgkins
Mech. Engineering 26.....Asst. Prof. Morse
Philosophy 24.....Dr. Richardson
Political Science 21.....Asst. Prof. Hill
Spanish 4.....Mr. Doyle
Friday, February 2

10 to 12
French 25.....Prof. Henning
History 1.....Prof. Swisher
1:30 to 3:30
English 27.....Prof. Croissant
French 1.....Mr. Doyle
Mathematics 21.....Prof. Hodgkins
5 to 7
Architecture 30.....Prof. Harris
Chemistry 2, 3, 7 (all sec.).....Prof. Munroe
Civil Engineering 2.....Asst. Prof. Lapham
Education 21A.....Prof. Ruediger
Education 28.....Miss Stoddard
Mech. Engineering 24.....Asst. Prof. Morse
Saturday, February 3

10 to 12
Education 22.....Prof. Ruediger
English 1.....Prof. Wilbur
German 22.....Prof. Schoenfeld
Philosophy 20.....Prof. Richardson
Political Science 1.....Asst. Prof. Hill
1:30 to 3:30
English 7.....Prof. Croissant
German 1.....Prof. Schoenfeld
Greek B.....Prof. Smith
History 30.....Asst. Prof. Swisher
History 33.....Prof. Swisher
Political Science 31.....Asst. Prof. Hill
5 to 7
Architecture 25.....Prof. Bibb
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SPHINX PLANNING LECTURES

The Sphinx Honor Society, consisting this year of the Misses Theodosia Seibold, Emma Reh, Gertrude Fogarty, Elizabeth Davis and Lucy Burlingame, held a meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 9, to decide upon the election of two new members. Miss Marie Gatchell, A. B., '16, and now working for her master's degree, was declared to be still an active member.

The Society is planning a series of lectures for the remaining part of the year, on subjects of interest and benefit to the women students in particular.

MENORAH SOCIETY TO MEET TOMORROW NIGHT

The Menorah Society meeting which was scheduled to take place last Saturday night will take place tomorrow night instead, at 8:15 o'clock, in the Arts and Sciences building.

MEET GOES TO JOHNS HOPKINS

The S. A. A. A. U. meet, it has been definitely decided, will be held at Johns Hopkins. In the last issue of the Hatchet it was stated this would be the probable outcome and it is now a fact.

"CLASSICAL" STUDENTS INVITED TO HEAR LECTURE

Members of the classes in philosophy, classical literature, Greek and Latin are invited to attend the January meeting of the Washington Classical Club, of which Prof. C. S. Smith is president. The meeting will be held Saturday at 4 p. m., at Fairmont Seminary, 2701 Fourteenth street, and Rev. Harris E. Kirk, D. D., of Baltimore, will read a paper on Lucretius, the Roman philosopher-poet.

INTERFRATERNITY PROM IN APRIL

According to Edwin B. Hunt, of the Interfraternity Association, the Interfraternity Prom will be held about the middle of April, the exact date having not yet been decided upon.

The committees in charge are composed of: Dance, H. B. LaVey, chairman; arrangements, R. Ash, chairman, J. S. Otis and J. H. Batt; finance, F. T. Chamberlain, E. B. Hunt and H. F. Enlow.

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Departmental Notes

LAW SCHOOL

Pgad B. Morehouse has been chosen a judge in an intercollegiate debating contest to take place locally, in which Harvard University is to be one of the contestants.

The Freshman court of the Walter Clark Law Club meets tomorrow and will consider a case in torts.

ALUMNI

The Alumni Executive Committee will meet next Thursday. The committee is composed of the officers and the following members:

College, Ogle B. Singleton, Wm. Bruce King; Medical, Dr. J. F. Thompson, Dr. E. G. Seibert; Law, Walter C. Clephane, John Paul Earnest; Graduate, Percival Hall, L. Russell Alden; Teachers, Miss Alberta Walker, Miss Freda Egbert; Dental, Dr. S. Danemann, Dr. R. C. Fowler; Pharmacy, Dr. C. F. W. Dammeier, Dr. R. C. Fowler; Engineering, E. Roger Boyle, Wade R. Woodward.

COLUMBIAN COLLEGE

Miss Katherine Scriven and Miss Elizabeth Scriven took prominent parts in the society circus given at the Riding and Hunt Club, December 29, 1916.

Miss Elsa Weber, '15, was in Washington during the holidays, and visited the University.

Professor Croissant has been made a member of the National Press Club.

ENGINEERING COLLEGE

The new drawing room which has been fitted up in Prof. Doten's old class room for the use of advanced design work, is a much appreciated improvement. The individual work tables give the student the isolation necessary for hard concentrated mental effort.

Architecture

The G. W. U. Architectural Club will hold its second dancing party of the season next Wednesday evening, January 17, at the Potomac Boat House. The committee in charge: W. Taylor, chairman; J. J. Carey, J. L. Browne and C. H. Weeks.

The third session of the Beaur Arts Society, for this academic year, will be opened at 3 p. m. tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon, in the G. W. U. drafting room. The study of "A Colonnade" was rendered by: James F. Boyer, John H. Chapman, William T. Conboye, George A. Daidy, T. R. Edwards, N. Mitchell, W. T. Siebel and John T. West. The judgment of this study will be held in New York on the 23rd of this month.

DENTAL SCHOOL

Edward Donovan spent his vacation visiting friends in Lancaster, Pa. Sprye Oscar Clayton spent Christmas at his home in Waterville, Ohio.

Mr. P. Gallagher of the Senior Class, has organized a study club which is to specialize on operative work.

VETERINARY COLLEGE

Dr. J. P. Behney, '13, of Roanoke, Va., and Dr. E. W. Miller, '14, Winchester, Va., called during the week and reported everything progressing nicely in their respective practices.

The regular meeting of the Veterinary Medical Association was held last Saturday evening at the Veterinary College. Papers were presented as follows: Juniors, L. G. Chaso, Pasteurization of Milk; E. W. Price, Parturient Paresis; Sophomores, J. King, Preparation of Culture Media from Whole Blood; H. E. Biester, Bacillus Anthracis; A. H. Russell, Horres in the European War.

Invitations have been extended to the Faculty and members of the Senior, Junior and Freshmen classes to be the guests of the Sophomore class at an informal smoker the evening of January 17.

COLLEGE OF PHARMACY

The Dean is recovering from an operation performed during the holidays.

Professor Hazen returned Thursday from Maine, where he went to recuperate from an operation on his throat.

Samuel L. Hilton, prominent druggist of this city, formerly a student and later an instructor at the College, has been substituting for the Dean. He gave a talk to the Junior class on the new Pharmacopoeia IX.

Dr. Hilton is secretary to the Pharmacopoeia convention and did much valuable research work for the latest revision.

GRADUATE SCHOOL

Science for December 29, 1916, contains an address on "Recent Progress in Spectroscopy" delivered by Eum Percy Lewis (B. S. George Washington, 1913, and now Professor of Physics, University of California), as the retiring vice-president and chairman of the section on Physics of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

MEDICAL SCHOOL

Dr. Paul Putzki, '15, has assumed his duties as Chief Resident of the Emergency Hospital, Drs. Conway, '15, and McKenna, '16, are serving as internes at the same institution. Mr. E. Sullivan, '17, has been as-

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The men who will represent G. W. in the meet are: For mile run, Kil-martin and Alexander; 880-yard run, Cole, Lenowitz, Ward and Ehrman; 440-yard dash, Harsch, James, Boyd, Brody, Johnson, Scott, Sweet and Thomas; pole vault, Pierce and Folmar; shot put, Thomas, Hillis, Patterson, Ellason and Lanche; high jump, Morrison and Wingate.

DON'T SAVE TOO MUCH, SAYS PROFESSOR KERN

Prof. Robert Russ Kern, in an address before the Washington Chapter of the American Banking Institute, last week, stated that an excess in savings means a decrease in the volume of business. In the course of his speech he said that it was possible for a community to save too much money.

"People cannot spend money and save it at the same time," he said. "A decrease in the volume of business means less money and less pressure on the banks for loans, and the ultimate consumer feels the effect in higher prices."

Professor Kern declared, too, that he did not believe the European countries could meet the I. O. U.'s that have been liberally floated in the United States since the beginning of the war.

DR. CRAIG FAVORS GRADUATE SCHOOL FOR CAPITAL CITY

When asked by a Hatchet reporter what he thought of the proposed graduate school for Washington, Dr. Craig said:

"With the establishment, in 1867, of the Bureau of Education, for the purpose of collecting and diffusing information relating to education, the government assumed a deliberate attitude in regard to educational matters. And that attitude has invariably proved of inestimable value. Now in the course of the argument for the governmental control of education, it must be admitted that the national schools at West Point and Annapolis are the finest of their kind in the world. The United States government also maintains in the city of Washington, two splendid medical schools for the training of the young medical officers of the army and navy. Should the United States government assume charge of a national university, whether for undergraduate or post graduate work, the educational history of the country conclusively proves that such an institution would rank second to none in the world. And, furthermore, the actual need of such an institution admits of no argument. Granting the advisability of erecting the new institution, where other than at the Nation's capital could a suitable location be found? Where could such valuable facilities as now presented by the great government libraries and museums be found? In addition to the above arguments, more than a century of experience and grateful appreciation of the wisdom of the immortal Washington bids the present generation heed his precious words and erect in the city bearing his name, a great national university."

ported interne at the George Washington University Hospital.

F. T. Chamberlain, '17, is an interne at the Casualty Hospital.

Mr. Gordon, '17, is an interne at the Washington Asylum Hospital.

Wm. T. Gill, '17, is recovering from an operation for appendicitis, which he underwent at the University Hospital several days ago.

NURSES

Miss Jessie Weaver was called home on account of the illness of her mother.

Misses Powell, Flaherty and Bogert went to the Episcopal Hospital January 1, for a four months' course.

Miss Chapman has gone to Children's Hospital for two months.

TEACHERS COLLEGE

Miss Alma Barker recently visited her sister in New York.

Miss Elsa Weber was at home for the holidays, and visited her friends at College when school was resumed.

With The Greeks

CHI OMEGA

Chi Omega entertained 15 orphans at a Christmas party in the Chapter room, Tuesday, December 26.

Miss Margaret Wilby entertained at a luncheon on Friday, December 29. Chi Omega was hostess at a New Year's dance at Terrace Inn.

Miss Louella Field entertained Chi Omega's at a card party, at her home, Saturday, January 6.

Misses Dorothy and Elizabeth Dravis gave a dance at the Raleigh on January 3.

SIGMA CHI

Several of the boys ushered at the National Parks Conference at the New National Museum last week by the request of Stephen A. Mather.

THETA DELTA CHI

A. R. Wingate, Eng. '19, has accepted a temporary position with the Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Dick Senior, Amherst '05, is staying at the House.

SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON

Howard Dix represented the local Chapter at the Sigma Alpha Epsilon convention which was held in Pittsburgh during the holidays.

PHI CHI

Mr. Muller has returned from Galveston where he attended the Chi Convention.

Messrs. Gill and Lyons won the Ordeneaux prizes for the highest marks in the medical course during the first three and two years respectively.

KAPPA SIGMA

The Chapter will give a special dance on Saturday, January 13.

J. Glenn Mason, former University of Nebraska football captain, was married on December 27 to Miss Florence Malone of Lincoln, Neb. They will make their home in Washington, where Mr. Mason is a government engineer.

Major Nichols, commandant of the New Mexico Military Institute, is visiting at the Chapter House.

George P. Comfort has just returned from a trip to Mason City, Iowa.

PHI SIGMA KAPPA

Lambda Chapter held a reception and dance on January 1, to the alumni and guests. Many out of town Phi Sigs were present.

The first rush and alumni smoker of the season will be held on Saturday night, January 13.

Arnold Otto will be present at the induction ceremony of the new chapter to be installed at the University of Wisconsin.

PI BETA PHI

Miss Katharine Snow was guest of honor at tea in the Chapter Room on Friday afternoon.

Miss Agnes Orr has returned from North Dakota where she has been spending her holidays.

Miss Mary Norris from Nebraska, Virginia Farnsworth, and Miss Frances Everts were guests at a luncheon in the Room during the past week.

PHI MU

The Phi Mu pledges gave a stunt on Saturday evening at the home of Miss Katherine Moran, for the benefit of the active members.

Phi Mu gave a luncheon and theatre party on Saturday in honor of Miss Sear Sturtevant Province, President who was the guest of the Chapter the week end.

The Beta Alpha Chapter of Phi Mu gave an informal tea to Mrs. Charles G. Eldson in the Room on Tuesday afternoon.

SIGMA NU

The annual Christmas dance of Delta Pi Chapter was held at the Hotel Lafayette on December 28. Among the patronesses present were Mrs. Bankhead, wife of Senator Bankhead; Mrs. Evans, wife of Representative John M. Evans of Montana; Mrs. Letcher, wife of Marion Letcher, former United States consul, and Mrs. Trundle, wife of Inspector A. D. Trundle, of the First Division of Sigma Nu.

W. W. Hubert has left for Denver, Colo., to accept a position.

George Baston has returned from a trip thru the West in the interest of the Bureau of Chemistry.

Sigma Nu announces the initiation on January 6, of Roger Hillis, C. C. '18; Victor Keblor, C. C. '19; H. E. Cole, C. C. '21; Rodney Smith and W. S. Simpson, Alpha Beta Phi alumni. Past Regent A. H. Wilson, of New York was a recent visitor at the Chapter House.

DELTA TAU DELTA

Charles Jacobson, Law '19, a member of Troop A, District National Guard, has returned from the border on a 30 days furlough.

During the holidays many out of town Deltas played visits to the Chapter House. Among them were Messrs. Mesick, Mallan and Hollowell from the University of Virginia and Messrs. Zooks and Fortier from Cornell.

Gamma Eta Chapter of Delta Tau Delta will hold a dance at the Chapter House, Friday evening, January 19.

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